



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Geoffrey B. Rhoads

Application No.: 09/479,304

Filed: January 6, 2000

For: WIRELESS METHODS AND DEVICES  
EMPLOYING STEGANOGRAPHY

Examiner: P. Pich

Date: March 22, 2006

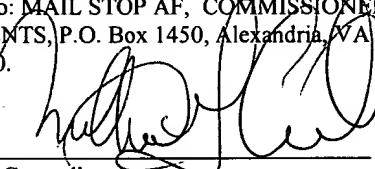
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed December 2, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1 – 10. (Fee of \$500.00)

Applicant petitions for a one-month extension of time from March 2, 2006 to April 2, 2006. If any additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

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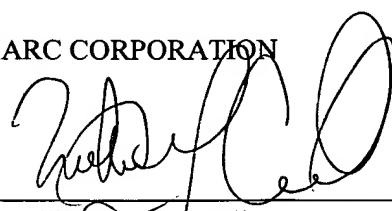
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